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OF

Richard Roberts, and Thomas Taplin, were executed at the end of Bow-ſtreet, William Pateman, for deſtroying the houſe of Robert Charlton in Coleman-ſtreet, for which he there ſuffered; William Brown, for demanding of money from Carter Daking, in Biſhopſgate-ſtreet, near which he was executed; William M'Donnald, Mary Roberts and Charlotte Gardner, a Black, who were executed on July the 11th 1780. on Tower-hill, for demoliſhing the houſe of Mr. Lebarty in St. Cathrine's-lane, Tower-hill.

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ON Wedneſday, July the 5th 1780 the Recorder made the report to His Majeſty in council, of the convicts under ſentence of death in Newgate; when the following were ordered for execution, viz. William M'Donnald, Mary Roberts, and Charlotte Gardener, on Tueſday July the 11th, near St. Catherin's-Lane, on Tower-Hill.

William Brown, the ſame day in Biſhopgate-Street.

William Pateman, the ſame day in Coleman-Street,

Thomas Tapling and Richard Roberts, the 12th, the corner of Bow-Street, Covent-Garden.

James Henry, the ſame day, near Mr. Langdale's in Holborn.

Enoch Fleming, the 13th, at the end of Woodſtock-Street, in Oxford-Street,

Chriſtopher Plumley, alias John Williams the ſame day at Tyburn.

The following were reſpited during his Majeſty's pleaſure, viz. George Banton, for robbing Richard Stone on the highway in St. Andrew's Holborn, of 6d. in ſilver; George Kennedy, for aſſiſting in pulling down the houſe of Mr. M'Cartney, in Featherſtone Street, Bunhill-row; William Laurence, for being concerned with Richard Roberts in demoliſhing Sir John Fielding's houſe; Edward Dennis (the Hangman) for aſſiſting in demoliſhing the houſe of Mr. Boggis, in New Turnſtile; John Morris, for being concerned with Enoch Fleming, in demoliſhing Ferdinand Schomberg's houſe; Anne Barnes, for ſteeling twenty-five yards

of printed linen, in the ſhop of Mr. Ravenhill, in Norton Falgete; Wm. Price, for ſtealing a horſe, the property of Mr. White; Elizabeth Cox, for robbing Suſanuah on the highway Richard Foſter, for being concerned with others in burning and deſtroying Ferdinand Schomberg's houſe; John Gray, for aſſiſting in demoliſhing Lord Mansfield's houſe; Elizabeth Breeſe, for breaking into the houſe of Mary Shearman, and ſtealwearing apparel, &c. and John Jones for robbing John Cradden on the highway, near Widegate-Alley, of a ſilver watch.

M'Donnald was born at Glaſgow being young when he came out of his time, and finding himſelf quite deficient in his buſineſs, he was determened to come to London, where he remained a long time and could get no buſineſs; neceſſety then obliged him to enliſt into the third regiment of foot guards, where he always

maintained a good character, but at length he was draughted for to go to America, where, in a late engagement he was wounded, and was under the misfortune of loſeing his arm, which was cut off in January laſt, he then was ſent home to England with many more that laboured under the ſame calamity, during the ſhort time he has been in England, he has lived on the charitable donations of the public; his being too fond of liquor, encouraged him in thoſe dreadful depredations which proved his ſhameful end.

Mary Roberts was 27 years of age, and born in Roſemary-lane, of very honeſt creditable parents, whoſe tender care and watchful eye was conſtantly upon her, but as ſhe grew up, her natural temper and diſpoſition began to diſcover her vile inclinations, ſhe at the age of fourteen deſerted her tender parents and took to that ſhocking courſe of life which

ſhe has ever ſince continued in, ſhe kept a diſorderly houſe in St. Cathrine's-lane, for ſeveral years, till her miſconduct in that courſe of life obligdd her to become the ſervant inſtead of miſtreſs, during which time ſhe has lived a very abandoned life, which juſtice overtook and cut the thread of her moſt wretched life.

Charlotte Gardner, was aged 25 years, and was born at New York, in America, ſhe was a ſlave to one James Moor, a gentleman of deſtinguiſhed character, and particularly for his humanity to his ſlaves, of whom he is poſſeſed of great numbers, the unfortunate Charlotte Gardner, has eloped from her maſter about two years and a half, and came to England, when ſhe firſt landed ſhe was introduced to a noted houſe of ill fame in Black-horſe Yard, in the Pariſh of St. George's Wapping, where ſhe was immediately inſtructed in the diabolical proceedings of

her new acquaintance, the Tuition ſhe received, in a ſhort time made her a terrer to the whole neighbourhood, her way of life led he to thoſe dreadful outrages for which ſhe moſt juſtly ſuffered.

William Brown, was aged 32 years born in the Pariſh of Cripplegate-without, ne was brought up a black ſmith, he always bore the character of an honeſt man, till thoſe unfortunate depredations, which has ended his days in ignomy. he was executed in Biſhopſgate-Street, near the houſe of Mr. Carter Daking.

William Pateman, was 30 years of age, by trade a carpenter, he was a man that bore a very good character, till the unhappy outrages, where he was diſtinguſhed as a captain. he was exccuted near the houſe of Mr. Robt. Charlton in Coleman.

They was conducted from Newgate to the place of execution by the uſual Officers, and a ſtrong party of

the guards. At the place of execution they all behaved with a becoming deacency, beged the forgiveneſ of all mankind.

Richard Roberts was an apprentice to a Barber in the Temple, he was but ſcventeen years of age, but the unfortunate deſtruction of Sir John Fielding's houſe has proved his unfortunate end.

Thomas Taplin was executed with Roberts at the end of Bow-Street, for taking upon himſelf the name of and acting as captain of the gang of attrocious rioters, he rode on horſe-back and demanded money from the houſekeepers, which brought him to his ſhamefull end.

James Henry, was 28 years of age, by trade a Bookbinder, he was executed for deſtroying and burning the houſe of Mr. Langdale in Holborn, for which he juſtly ſuffered near the ſpot he committed the fact.

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